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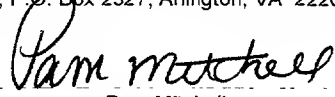
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Re: *U.S. Patent Application Entitled: Oxygen Barrier Copolymer*  
Inventors: Hu Yang, Ta Yen Ching, Kevin Cai and Lennard Torres  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a 37 page patent specification including a title page (without page number), 41 claims, an abstract and Figure 1 on 1 sheet. The specification, with claims, constitutes the application of Hu Yang, Ta Yen Ching, Kevin Cai and Lennard Torres for the captioned invention. Also enclosed is our check in the amount of the total filing fee (listed below).

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